PLOT TO KILL PRINCE

Sipido Seems Inclined to Make Confession of the Whole Business.

AN ACCOMPLICE IS UNDER ARREST

the Prisoner Sipido Ignores Father's Appeals-He Continues His Defiant Attitude, but Tells an Incoherent Tale. ARTON AND ADDRESS

BRUSSELS, April 6 .- One of Sipido's accomplices has been arrested and interrogated by the commissary of police. Sipido seems inclined to make a confession and judging | from his latest statements the outrage was the outcome of a plot.

Three of the associates are known. One of the persons arrested has confessed that he sold the revolver to

Sipido. His name is Meert. He admits that he had a conversation with Sipido on the subject of the outrage on the prince, but protests that the words were spoken in jest. The police are seeking other accomplices.

The attempt at the assassination of the Prince of Wales yesterday was the sole topic of conversation in the streets, in the cafes and theaters last evening. Everywhere regret and deep indignation were manifested and satisfaction at the failure of the criminal's attempt was unanimously expressed. it is said that when the crowd rushed at Sipido he received a blow from scmeone's fist in the face which drew blood.

One version of Sipido's statement is that he declared that he committed the act because he was an anarchist and he did not allude to South Africa.

The Patriote says: "Investigation proves premeditation. The interrogation of the prisoners lasted four hours and it shows that he was instigated by an unknown person, who pers i aed him to buy a pistol on Sunday in the Old Market for 3 francs. Accompanied by this person, Sipido went on Tuesday to a meeting in the Flemish theater and then to the Maison du Peuple, where they had drinks. Then they went to a wine shop, where Sipido wrote a letter say ing he had obtained employment. He then went to the railvay station and asked the hour of the atrival of the train. Later he entered Pear Expressed that There is Political a cafe and loaded his revolver in the lavatory. Sipido refused to give the name of his companion, who, he said, was a young man some years older than himself. After Sipido was looked up the magistrates went to the house of his parents.

explained his motive as follows: "For a long time I have thought that the original idea. In the meantime prepambitious men who are unchaining arations are being actively pushed for war sacrifice so many lives that they the celebration and the work of coldeserve to be punished. Those men lecting funds is progressing satisfacshould suffer the penalty of retaliation. | torily. The committee apparently is When I learned by the papers that the | divided as to the wisdom of abandonprince was going to pass through Brus | ing the fete, many of the members sels I immediately resolved to become stating that the reception to Admiral the avenger of humanity and to kill Dewey should arise above partisanship, this assassin. On Sunday I made up my mind to carry out my project. I regret that I have not accomplished it as I desired."

The magistrates, struck by the incoherency of the story, are convinced that Sipido does not tell the whole truth and wishes to save someone. The magistrates are going to verity the prisoner's statement. The commitment charges the prisoner with an attempt at assassination.

Jean Baptiste Sipido was not submitted to a further examination today. His attitude is dejected and he appears very tired, having had little sleep. He expressed no regret at his crime, but has repeatedly asked permission to see his mother. No interview between them will be allowed for some days.

HAY PROTESTS TO TURKEY.

Edict Excluding American Pork Brings. an Emphatic Note.

WASHINGTON, April 6. Secretary Hay has addressed a vigorous protest to the Turkish government against the proposed application of an edict excluding American pork from Turkey. The note entered an emphatic denial of the pretense of the unwholesomeness set up against pork as a basis for the exclusion and pointedly makes it necessary for the Turkish government to support its contention by adequate evidence before it can enforce the edict without serious results. The officials here are confident, because of the result of the complete failure of the German health officers to make good such assertions respecting our meats ,believing that the Turkish government can make no better showing.

Bill for Military Camp.

WASHINGTON, April 6 .- A bill was introduced in the senate today by Hawley authorizing the secretary of war to make surveys for the establishment of camp grounds in the north, east, south and west for the training of soldiers of guard. The bill provides that the camps when established shall be supplied with all modern conveniences.

Credentials of Senator Presented.

WASHINGTON, April 6.- In the senate today Senator Jones of Arkansas presented the credentials of J. C. S. Blackburn as a senator from Kentucky for the term of six years, beginning March 4, 1901. Mr. Jones shid as the credentials were long he would ask that they be printed in the Record as a document.

Money for the director Navy. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 6.-The naval appropriation bill was today reported to the house by Acting Chairman Foss of the naval committee. The amount carried by the bill is \$61,219,-916, the largest ever reported to the house from the naval committee, Aside the world over, foreign naval programs and the comparative strength of the navies of the great powers, the upbuilding of various great navies. Menday,

BOERS TAKE IN FIFTY

Belated Report Capture of n Squadron of Critish Cavalry.

LONDON, April 6.-The Capetown correspondent of the Standard, telegraphing Tuesday, gives the details, hitherto obscure, of the surrender of squadron of Kitchener's Horse on

February 15: it was the day of the relief of Kimberley. The squadron had been left He Admits That He sold a Revolver to 10 guard a farm on the Riet river while General French advanced to the besieged town.

"The object of leaving them on the river was to hold a well pending the arrival of another column. The latter, however, never came, and the troopers found themselves besieged for four days by a body of 400 Boers. There were but fifty men, but they pierced holes in the walls of the farm house and made a desperate stand for three

"They fought gallantly and all the time without food. But on the fourth day they managed to catch a goat, which they quickly devonred. There was not a blade of grass on the neighboring veldt, and all their norses died of starvation. The stench in and about the farm house was something

"On the fourth day General DeWitt sent a message calling for them to surrender within a few minutes. The situation was hopeless. The Boers had two twelve-pounders with them, and the squadron was in the last stage of exhaustion. Seeing there was no chance of relief, they agreed among themselves to surrender.

The war office issued no news yesterday and little was allowed to come through from the occrespondents at Bloemfontein. According to the Standard's representatives there is no sign that the Boers intend taking the offensive. General Clement is so disposing of his forces as to guard against any surprise attack, which, although improbable, is evidently not regarded impossible, judging from the preparations of Lord Roberts.

As is usual where there is a check in the progress of the British campaign, the war office is being severely censured for failing to send the neces sary supply of remounts for the army. It is believed Lord Roberts has difficulties other than remounts with which to contend.

DEWEY'S CHICAGO VISIT

Object in the Call. CHICAGO, Ill., Aprill 6 .-- Members of the Dewey reception committee will hold a formal meeting next Tuesday to decide whether the celebration planned in honor of Admiral Dewey on the occasion of the latter's visit According to the Etoile Belge, Sipido to Chicago May 1 shall be abandoned or carried out in accordance with the while others wish to hear from Admiral Dewey as to whether or not his visit to Chicago is to have any political significance.

CLEVELAND DENIES REPORT.

He Declares He Has Said Nothing Rela-

tive to Dewey's Candidacy. PRINCETON, N. J., April 6.-Former President Grover Cleveland today declared that he had not given an interview to any one on Admiral Dewey's candidacy. Referring to published expressions of his views, he dictated the following:

This statement is outrageous. It is false from beginning to end. A number of young men representing different papers called on me yesterday for my opinion in relation to Admiral Dewey's announcement of his candidaey and I invariably declined to say anything whatever on the subject. If by any possibility I should see fit in the future to give any expression on this subject, it will be done in a way that will leave no doubt as to its authenticity. In the meantime it is safe to calculate in advance that any less authoritative statement which may be attributed to me will be an unjustifi. able fabrication."

Russia Fires the First Shot VANCOUVER, B. C., April 6,- The war toward which Russia and Japan are believed by oriental papers to be drifting, was almost precipitated by an incident of which Japanese offictals have vainly endeavored to suppress. On March 24 a Japanese battleship encountered a Russian cruiser in the neighborhood; of Hakodate, Without any warning the Russian

discharged a torpedo against the bat-

tleship, but missed aim. To Handle Smallpox Cases. WASHINGTON, April 6 .- The officers of the marine service have consented to handle the smallpox situation on the Nez Perces reservation in Idaho, the United States and the national They will establish detention camps and do whatever else is necessary to stamp out the disease. Commissioner Jones of the Indian bureau said teday that the seriousness of the situation evidently has been overestimated. He thinks the Indians have become panicstricken.

> The annual meeting of the stockholders of the American Beet Sugar company was held in Jersey City. The old board of directors was re-elected. and it will re-elect the old officers. No report was given out.

Will Fight to the End.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 6.-Governor Taylor spent today in this city in consultation with personal and political friends. Adjutant General Collier came down from Frankfort to meet the governor. General Collier reiterfrom this the report which accome ated that Governor Taylor will not repanies the hill is remarkable for its linquish his position until the United arrayal of facts regarding sea power States supreme court passes on the case. The latest report from the court of appeals is that a decision in the accompanied by colored charts showing governorship case may be expected

A Manila Paper Publishes a Long Article Concerning Him.

ONE OF BRAVEST IN REGIMENT

Insisted on Staying at His Post of Duty While Suffering from Disease, Even Though Urged to Enter the Hospital-A Man Fearless in Performance of Duty.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., April 9,-Hon. Samuel Waugh of this city has received the Manila Freedom containing the following:

While temporarily insane from the effects of intermittent brain fever. contracted during the severe campaign south Luzon, Second Lieutenant John R. Waugh of the Thirty-ninth infantry shot himself through the heart at Clamba, early Tuesday morning. He died almost instantly and yesterday his body was brought to Manila by an escort from Company H of the Thirty-ninth, under command of Lieutenant Harry E. Courtney. The remains will be transported to the states on the Sheridan.

"Lieutenant Waugh was one of the bravest of the young officers of Bullard's fighting regiment. He had barely reached his majority and for one so young in years had gained a name for personal bravery and devotion to soldierly duty. He was slight of stature and a fit candidate for the hospital when Langhorn's battalion reached Calamba a week ago from its record breaking 'hike' through the provinces of Laguna, Batangas and Tayabas, but he continued 'for duty' with his company and on Monday collapsed from nervous exhaustion. He recoverd within a few hours and appeared to be on the high road to complete recovery, but in the early morning of Tuesday he ended his life by his own hand

while suffering the tortures of disease. "He had been talking in a sort of distracted way with Captain Joseph P. Coughey of the Thirty-ninth at his quarters in Calamba an hour before he fired the fatal shot, and the captain urged him to enter the hospital for treatment. Young Waugh refused and added that he would feel better soon. Captain Coughey kept a watchful eye over him until breakfast had been finished and then Waugh appeared to have entirely recovered. About 9:30 o'clock a shot rang out and the officers quartered in the building rushed out upon the veranda and saw the young officer lying there gasping for breath. An army revolver had ended his life. He died within ten minutes. A mili tary escort, made of infantry companies from the Thirty-ninth and Summerall's artillery, with a troop of cavalry, did military burial honors over body of the dead lieutenant at Calamba yesterday,

"Lieutenant T. M. Cobb, jr., said: "A more impetuously brave young officer I have never known. I have seen him have his platoon into the hottest of the fight and no one ever saw Dick Waugh flinch. I know his people in Nebrasaka, and I can truthfully say they have lost a noble son.

School Bonds Invalid.

FREMONT, Neb., April 9.-A special meeting of the school board was held here, and Mr. W. J. Courtright, the attorney employed by the board to represent them in the district court, submitted his opinion that the school bonds were invalid for several reasons, one being that not one-third of the legally qualified school electors signed the petition for their submission at the election last fal. His opinion was a good deal of surprise, as it practically conceded the points set out in the petition for the injunction. The board instructed their attorney to file an answer admitting that the petition for the submission of the bonds was not signed by a sufficient number of elec-

A Mile and a Half a Day.

OMAHA, April 9 .- At the Union Pacfic shops, a force of carpenters and blacksmiths has begun building a Roberts steam track layer. This is a giant mechanical device to take place of hand work in the distribution of both ties and steel, whereby one steam track layer with a force of sixty men can lay a mile and a half a day, an amount far in excess of what the same crew could do without it. The equipment of the steam track-laying train. as planned to lay three-quarters of a mile for each half day trip, consists of a pioneer car, eight tie cars, then the engine, and then the three cars with rails.

Road Race at Norfolk. NORFOLK, Neb., April 9.-A bicycle road race was held here under the management of the Young Men's

Christian league. The course was from Stanton to this city, a distance of fourteen miles. The race was won by George Davis, with Clyde Williams second and John Kuhl third. time, 40 minutes 11 seconds. W. W. Hughes collapsed at the finish and was carried home. His condition is not considered serious.

Survivors of Shile.

SCHUYLER, Neb., April 9.- The survivors of the battle of Shiloh met here and held a campfire, which was addressed by Rev. C. H. Miller of this place, T. J. Majors of Peru and Rev. Presson of Stromsburg. About forty visitors were present and an interesting meeting was held. Rev. Mr. Presson. ex-Govenor Thaver and John L. Webster were the principal speakers on the board.

WIII Raise Beets, SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., April 9.-President Fynn of the Commericial club says that no doubt remains as to the utility of raising beets on the vacant land adjacent to the city, and that a great many laboring people have expressed a desire to cultivate them if given an opportunity. For that reason, a number of the leading business men, headed by President Flynn and Secretary Watkins of the Commercial club have formed an association which will provide the seed and cultivators for a number of responsible people who desire to go into the beet raising at hand.

Number of Cases.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 6.-The supreme court handed down decisions in fleven cases. Considerable time was spent in listening to arguments on the motion of the attorney general for a writ of mandamus compelling Judge Baker of the district court of Douglas county to set aside the judgment in the case of the State of Nebraska against the Omaha National bank and for a mandate ordering a new trial of the suit. In the State ex rel Christy against Stubbs, the election contest case from the Seventh judicial district. the defendant was given a week's time to prepare for a hearing on the de murrer.

Several questions of interest to atterneys and fire insurance people in Nebraska are decided by the court for the first time in the case of the Lancashire Insurance company against Bush. Under the valued policy law of this state the worth of property insured is fixed conclusively at the valution written in the contract of insurance and in case of total logs that sum is the measure of recovery. Under such a policy in case of partial loss the actual damage is the measure of recovery. In the decision handed down today the court rules that if, under a valued policy, the property insured is totally destroyed as the result of two or more fires the measure of recovery for the final loss is the amount written in the contract less amounts paid in settlement of previous losses.

The court further rules that after a partial loss under a fire policy which renders the building untenable the insured is not guilty of a breach of the vacancy clause of the contract where he permits the property to remain unoccupied pending the period during which the insurer is authorized to exercise its option to repair the damaged building and that there is nothing in the constitution of the United States or of this state which forbids classification of subjects for the purpose of legislation. It is held that the power to classify is subject only to the limitation that the classification must not

be arbitrary. "The provision of section 3 of the valued policy law (section 45, chapter 43. Compiled Statutes, 1899), permitting the taxation as costs of a reasonable attorney's fee upon rendering the judgment against an insurance company on a contract insuring real estate," it is held, "is grounded on consideration of public policy and is constitutional."

Seward County's Mortgage Record. SEWARD, Neb., April 6 .- The farmers of Seward county croke the record during March in reducing the mortgages on their farms. The record shows that fifty-seven mortgages were filed, amounting to \$75,586,20; released, 90; amounting to \$126.804.69, a reduction of \$51,218.49 for the month. City mortgages filed, 8, \$2,834.50; released two, \$686.85; chattel mortgages filed 103. \$23,589.22; released 81, \$44,373.92. making a total reduction of \$69,855.49.

Ainsworth Greamery Association. AINSWORTH, Neb., April 6 .- The stockholders of the proposed Ainsworth creamery association met and incorporated with the following officers for the ensuing year: President R. S. Rosing; secretary, H. O. Paine; treasurer, C. L. Briggs; board of directors, George Carpenter, W. H. Coltrin. Dr. W. B. Loomis, J. W. Shaner and C. M. Hutchinson. The plant is expected to be in operation within sixty days. Much interest is felt in the enterprise.

Hit by a Train.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., April 6 .-At Henry Carson, a farmer of St. Libory, and his daughter, were crossing the Burlington track in this city the ergine of the east bound passenger struck the tail end of the wagon. Both occupants were hurled out of the wagon. Carson's leg was broken badly and bruised, and the daughter was badly cut and bruised.

A Bank Closes. LINCOLN, April 6.—The state banking board has taken possession of the Citizens' State bank of Cambridge. Examiner Wilson took possession of the bank Monday and the state board authorized the attorney general to apply to the district court for the appointment of a receiver. The cause of the failure is said to have been too much poor paper.

Pictures of First Nebraska.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 6 .- Adjutant General Berry received nine large photographs showing the first Nebraksa regiment in active service in the Philippines. The pictures comprise the entire collection in the possession of the chief signal officer. Inne pictures were forwarded by Eugene O. Fechet, captain, signal officer United States volunteers, disbursing officer. Captain Fechet is a brother of Major E. G. Fechet who was assigned to duty in Nebraska several years ago as special aid to the governor.

Wants a Money Balm.

OMAHA, Neb., April 6.-John S. Clark is plaintiff in a damage suit against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company, in which he seeks to collect \$26,750 on account of injury. He alleges that he was a passenger on one of the defendant company's trains running from Atwood. Kan:, to Lebanon, Neb., November 29 of last year, and that on reaching Lebanon the train did not stop at the depot. He jumped off and sustained injury that required the amputation of his right leg.

Jobbers are Pleased.

OMAHA, Neb., April 6.—The jobbers . Omaha are well pleased that the Omaha-Kansas City differential on acking house products has been reduced from 6 to 3 cents per 100 pounds, One jobber said: "This reduction means much to the jobbers, aside from the packers' interest, as it indicutes that Omaha is to eventually get lower rates on other lines of goods than those produced by the packers. For years Omaha jobbers have been discriminated against in rates to the south but I believe the beginning of the end is

LIEUT. WAUGHS DEATH SOME SUPREME COURT BUSINESS. LANG IS OUT FOR GOOD

Governor Poynter Will Stand by His Decision of Last Week.

AN APPEAL FOR REINSTATEMENT.

State Board of Transportation Served With an Order Restraining Them From Bearing Complaints About Railroad Rates-Miscellaneous Nebraska Mat-

P A '07 0 LINCOLN, April 4 .- Governor Poynter will stand by his decision of last week and will refuse to reinstate B. F. Lang of York as superintendent of the State Institute for Feeble-Minded Youth at Beatrice. A delegation headed by Lieutenant Governor Gilbert and Judge Bates of York and ex-Mayor E. A. Kretsinger of Beatrice, and including about a dozen citizens of York, called on Governor Poynter and pleaded for leniency on behalf of Lang. At the close of the conference, Gov. ernor Poynter said that he had no decision other than the one rendered last week.

It has been quietly intimated that unless he was reinstaed Mr. Lang would refuse to go cut of office until compelled to do so by the courts, Sovernor Poynter asserts that he has Lang's resignation in writing over his own signature and that he cannot therefore contend that he has any lawful right to the office. Lang has told several of his friends that he has not resigned and that he does not propose to be removed from the office without cause.

Members of the State Board of Transportation were served with a copy of an order !ssued by Judge Munger of the federal court restraining them from entertaining, hearing or determining any complaint which has been or may hereafter be filed with the board, touching the rates of charge made by the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley or the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroads. This order is to continue in force until April 5, when the complainants will move for a permanent injunction. The Board of Transportation is also restrained from making any order fixing or prescribing the rates which either of these companies shall charge for transportation of freight between points in Nebraska and from taking any proceedings for the purpose of

enforcing any order heretofore issued. But little surprise was expressed at the state house when the injunction was served, it being generally expected that the Board of Transportation would be restrained from proceeding with the hearing of the cases pending against the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley and the Omana roads, both of which were recently continued.

The case of the Business Men's association of Norfolk against the Omaha read has been lost in the mass of railroad rate litigation.

State Capital Notes. LINCOLN, Neb., April 4.—Treasurer Meserve has issued a call for general fund warrants registered from 55.171 to 55,570, payable April 10. The

amount covered is \$40,000. Two of the bondsment of ex-County Treasurer J. W. Lynch of Platte county were at the state house with a view to effecting a compromise with the state of the claim covering the shortage of that official, amounting to approximately \$13,000. Lynch's shortage was in the neighborhood of \$50,-000, of which amount \$17,000 belonged to the county and the balance to the state. The county funds were paid by the bondsmen, but the state has not

been reimbursed.

Fell Under the Wheels. COLUMBUS, Neb., April 4.-Martin Jensen, a baker, twenty years old, who has been employed the past six months at Humphrey, stole a ride with a coinpanion Saturday night on the Union Pacific accommodation train, and felt under the wheels at Platte Center. Both legs were badly mangled. He was brought to the hospital here and one leg was amputated soon after midnight. Attenda gsurgeons hope to save the other, but are not sure that they can.

Funds for India Sufferers.

CAMBRIDGE, Neb., April 4.-A mass meeting called for the purpose of raising funds for relief of the India famine sufferers resulted in the sum of \$130 being raised by the people of Cambridge and vicinity. This town has always responded liberally when appealed to for the relief of suffering husanity.

Mexican War Veteran Dead.

GRETNA, Neb., April 4.- John Fallon, an old citizen, died of heart failure at the home of his daughter at Waterville, Kas., Sunday morning, The remains were brought to this place this morning and buried in the Catholis cemetery. Mr. Fallon was a veteran of the Mexican war.

Wm. Fuller is Bound Over. O'NEILL, Neb., April 4.—William Fuller had his preliminary hearing in the county court upon the charge of statutory rape of the person of lyy Mount and was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$1,500. The defendant is about 18 years of age and the complaining witness a year younger. They are both residents of Stuart and highly connected. The 'alleged date of the crime is July, 1899.

Dodge County Mortgage Record. FREMONT, Neb., April 4 .- The fol-

owing is the mortgage record Dodge county for the monin of March: Chattel mortgages filed 148, amount \$43.743.11; released 150, amount \$33, 797.63. Farm mortgages recorded 53 amount \$139,956.30; released 54, amount \$94,724.20. Town and city mortgages recorded 40, amount \$4,799.00; leased 26, amount \$19,399.73. The amount of farm mortgages recorded is greater than any month since registers of deds have been required to keep a record of them and are puncipally purchase money mortgages and renewals.

APRICES OF STOCK INCREASE.

Enhancement of Value of Live Stock by Hundreds of Millions.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. CHICAGO, April 9.—CATTLIP—Natives, best lond on sale, \$5.40; good to prime steers, \$5.0023.50; poor to medium, \$4.2598 t.90; sejected feeders, \$1.2094.85; mixed stockers, \$3.5094.0; cows, \$1.0094.50; heifers, \$3.1094.75; canners, \$2.0092.75; bulls, \$2.7594.25; calves, \$5.2597.25, 3.exans, receints, none.

celpts, none. HOGS-Market 5c to 10c lower; lop, \$5.57\(\frac{1}{2}\); good clearances; mixed and butchers, \$5.300\(\frac{1}{2}\); good to choice, heavy, \$5.400\(\frac{1}{2}\), rough, heavy, \$5.2500 5.35; light, \$5.2500\(\frac{1}{2}\); bulk of sales, \$5.40 SHEEP AND LAMBS-Good to choice

wethers, \$6.0026.20; fair to choice, mixed, \$5.0026.00; western sheep, \$5.6546.30; year-lings, \$6.0026.55, native lambs, \$5.6027.40; western lambs, \$6.0027.40. NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET. NEW YORK, April 9.—WHEAT—May, Fau71 9-16c, closed at 73%c; July, 73%60 Fac, closed at 73%c; September, 73%675c,

closed at 134c; September, 133,675c, closed, at 744c.

CORN—Spot, easy; No. 2, 474c f. o. b., affoat; 454c elevator; May, 454,67464c, closed at 464c; July, 454,67474c, closed at 464c; September closed at 464c.

OATS—Spot, easier; No. 2, 28c; No. 3, 284c; No. 2 white, 314c; track white, 3146; track white, 3146; track white, 3146,57c; track white state, 314,675°c.

NAMES OF THE LIVE STOCK KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

KANSAS CITY, April 9.—CATTLE—
Light supply, disposed of readily at unchanged prices; heavy native steers, \$4.75

45.35; lightweights, \$4,5095.10; stockers
and feeders, \$3.5094.15; butcher cows and
helfers, \$3.4094.75; canners, \$2.5094.30; fed
westerns, \$4.0094.75; canners, \$2.5094.30; fed
westerns, \$4.0094.35; Texans, \$3.7594.50,
HOGS—Good heavy scarce; prices ruled
25477-2c lower; heavy, \$5,2595.50; mixed,
\$5.2595.75; light, \$5.1595.32\(\frac{1}{2}\); pigs, \$4.509

5.15. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Market active and stronger; spring lambs, \$9.00; fed Colorado lambs, \$5.8547.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.7546.10; culls, \$3.5074.00.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

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CHICAGO. April 9.—WHEAT—No. 3
spring. 63@66c; No. 2 red. 69½@70c.
CORN—No. 2. 39. @40c; No. 2 yellow, 40c.
OATS—No. 2. 39. @40c; No. 2 white,
30½@26c; No. 3 white, 27½@28½c.
RYE—No. 3 white, 27½@28½c.
RYE—No. 2. 56c.
BARLEY—No. 1. 41@45c.
SEEDS—Flaxseed, No. 1 and northwest,
\$1.70. Prime timothy. \$2.35@240. Clover,
contract grade, \$7.50.
PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl. \$12.50
@12.70. Land, per 100 lbs., \$6.56@6.70. Short
ribs sides (boxed), \$6.50@6.75. Short clear
sides (boxed), \$7.15@7.20.

SOUTH OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

SOUTH OMAHA, April 9.—CATTLE—
Market rather barren of new features and there was very little change in any direction to report. The demand for all kinds appeared to be good and as a rule buyers were nil out early said they took hold readily, effecting a clearance in a very short time. The most of the cattle here were corn-fed steers, for which there was a good packing demand. Beef steers, \$3.5074.50; cows, \$2.0074.25; cows and helf-ers, \$3.8574.20; helfers, \$2.2575.00; bulls, \$3.0074.50; calves, \$5.5077.00; stags, \$3.5574.40; steers and stags, \$4.9074.45; stock calves, \$5.0097.00; stock cows and helfers, \$2.7564.50; steers and stags, \$4.9074.45; stock calves, \$5.0097.00; stock cows and helfers, \$2.7564.50; steers and helfers, \$4.2574.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.7575.00.

HOGS—The market was so nearly steady that it was hardly possible to note any change, and still it was a little easier in spots. As was the case Saturday, the long string sold at \$5.30, with some of the less desirable light and light mixed loads at \$5.2675.275. Some of the best londs brought \$5.3575.375. Practically everything changed hands in good season and the market soon came at an end for the want of something more to sell. The quality of the hogs on sale was, if anything, a little better than the average of SOUTH OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

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SHEEP-Quotations are thus given: Choice yearlings, \$6.1576.25; fair to good yearlings, \$6.0966.15; good to choice wethers, \$6.0006.15; fair to good wethers, \$5.7560 5.90; good to choice fed ewes, \$5.5065.75; fair to good ewes, \$5.0065.40; good to choice native lambs, \$7.0067.15; good to choice western lambs, \$6,9097,15; f good western lambs, \$6,6096,85; wethers, \$4,5095,00; feeder yearlings. 5.60; good to choice feeder lambs, \$5.2549

TORTURE AMERICAN CONSUL

Peru Called to Account for Action of Revolutionists.

NEW YORK, April 9 .- A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says: An amuzing story of indignity inflicted upon an American representative abroad has been disclosed by a resolution offered in the senate by Penrose of Pennsylvania, which calls upon the State department for information and documents filed by Edward Gottfried of Wilkesbarre, Pa., late consular agent of this government at Truxillo, Peru.

In sworn statement which he has filed with the department Gottfried asserts that he was seized by Peruvian revolutionists in the summer of 1898 and subjected to torture, in addition to which his house was sacked and destroyed.

The revolutionists demanded that he produce 5,000 soles (between \$3,500 and \$4,000) and twenty-five rifles within fifteen minutes, or aubmit to chastisement in what is termed in Peru the "flying stocks." When he said he was unable to compry with the demand he was knocked down by a blow from a gun and overpowered. His thumbs were tied together with thongs and his hands twisted back of his head. Heavy rifles were inserted between the inverted elbows and his head, and in that position he was strung up. In a short time the agonizing pain rendered him insensible. The torture was resumed until Gottfried agreed to the demands made upon him. Gottfried has filed an itemized' statement of the damages he sustained and they approximate 260,000 soles.

Fortune as Duty.

NEW YORK, April 9.-Appraiser Howell has announced his decision on the Rubens painting, "The Holy Famity," sent to this country from Paris. The painting was entered at a value of 132,000 francs (about \$26,500.) Appraiser Howell advances this to 198,000 francs (about \$40,000,) making the. duty 20 per cent, about \$7,000. The added penalty is 19,000, making the total to pay about \$26,000.

The painting was once part of the collection of Sih Cecil Miles Bart. whose executors sold the picture at auction in London less than a year ago for about \$45,000.

The New Cruiser Nebraska.

WASHINGTON, April 9 .- The new ruiser Nebraska, which is to be built by the Navy department, is to have the best equipment without limitation as to the price of armor plate, Congressman Mercer having secured in the present appropriation bill a removal of the \$300 per ton restriction previously placed on armor plate for naval vessels in former appropriation bills. It is a fact that the United States today is securing armor plate cheaper than any other country, England, Japan and Russia paying considerably more than this country for armor plate.